# Class Title: GIS Specialist I

### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE CLASSIFICATION:**

Assists in the planning, design, development and operation of the Geographic Information System. Compiles, digitizes, edits and prepares maps for City departments and the public. Provides GIS technical support and training to users.

#### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

This information is intended to be descriptive of the key responsibilities of the classification. The following examples do not identify all duties performed by any single incumbent. Specific requirements of individual positions are described in the Job Description.

	Physical Strength Code	ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS
1	S	Produces maps by researching and collecting data, and creating and maintaining digital maps on the computer system.
2	S	Maintains the City's Geographic Information System by updating and upgrading software, hardware and data.
3	S	Provides technical support and training to the system's users by resolving problems related to mapping, software, and data usage.

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# **CLASS REQUIREMENTS:**

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Formal Education / Knowledge	Work requires knowledge of a specific vocational, administrative, or technical nature which may be obtained with six months/one year of advanced study or training past the high school equivalency. Junior college, vocational, business, technical or correspondence schools are likely sources. Appropriate certification may be awarded upon satisfactory completion of advanced study or training.		
Experience	Two years experience in GIS, automated mapping, CADD, Cartographic drafting.		
Certifications and Other Requirements	N/A		
Reading	Work requires the ability to read journals, technical manuals and documents, email, maps, reports, and correspondence.		
Math	Work requires the ability to perform general math calculations such as addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.		
Writing	Work requires the ability to write email, correspondence, and instructions.		
Managerial	N/A		
Budget Responsibility	N/A		
Supervisory / Organizational Control	Job has no responsibility for the direction or supervision of others.		
Complexity	Work requires analysis and judgment in accomplishing diversified duties.  Work requires the exercise of independent thinking within the limits of policies, standards, and precedents.		
Interpersonal / Human Relations Skills	Contacts others within the organization. These contacts may involve similar work units or departments within the City and may be involved in decision making or providing approval or decision making authority for purchases or projects.		

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# **OVERALL PHYSICAL STRENGTH DEMANDS:**

Sedentary X	Light	Medium	Heavy	Very Heavy
S = Sedentary Exerting up to 10 lbs. occasionally or negligible weights frequently; sitting most of the time	L = Light Exerting up to 20 lbs. occasionally, 10 lbs. frequently, or negligible amounts constantly OR requires walking or standing to a significant degree.	M = Medium Exerting 20-50 lbs. occasionally, 10-25 lbs. frequently, or up to 10 lbs. constantly.	H = Heavy Exerting 50-100 lbs. occasionally, 25-50 lbs. frequently, or up to 10-20 lbs. constantly.	VH = Very Heavy Exerting over 100 lbs. occasionally, 50-100 lbs. frequently, or up to 20-50 lbs. constantly.

# **PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

C = Continuously	F = Frequently	O = Occasionally	R = Rarely	N = Never
2/3 or more of the time.	From $1/3$ to $2/3$ of the time.	Up to 1/3 of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.

This is a description of the way the job is currently performed; it does not address the potential for accommodation.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS	FREQUENCY CODE	DESCRIPTION
Standing	0	Office equipment, resolving technical problems
Sitting	С	Computer, desk work, meetings
Walking	0	To/from office equipment, to/from meetings
Lifting	0	Maps, plans, software, manuals
Carrying	0	Maps, plans, software, manuals
Pushing/Pulling	O	Chair, desk drawer
Reaching	0	Across desk, telephone, manuals
Handling	0	Maps, plans, software, manuals, office supplies, reports
Fine Dexterity	С	Computer keyboard, telephone keypad, mouse, digitizer
Kneeling	N	
Crouching	N	
Crawling	N	
Bending	N	
Twisting	N	
Climbing	N	
Balancing	N	
Vision	С	Computer, desk work, reading, writing
Hearing	C	Staff, supervisor, telephone, meetings
Talking	F	Staff, supervisor, telephone, meetings
Foot Controls	N	
Other (specify)	N	

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# MACHINES, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, AND WORK AIDS:

Copy machine, fax machine, telephone, computer, scanner, digitizer, ArcView, Arc Info, Publisher, Paint Shop Pro, Adaptec Easy CD Creator, Adobe Acrobat Reader, Standard Microsoft Windows and Office software, Internet, WinZip

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS:**

D = Daily	W = Several	M = Several	S = Seasonally	N = Never
	Times Per Week	Times Per Month		

HEALTH AND SAFETY		ENVIRONMENTAL FACTO	RS
Mechanical Hazards	N	Dirt and Dust	N
Chemical Hazards	N	Extreme Temperatures	N
Electrical Hazards	N	Noise and Vibration	N
Fire Hazards	N	Fumes and Odors	N
Explosives	N	Wetness/Humidity	N
Communicable Diseases	N	Darkness or Poor Lighting	N
Physical Danger or Abuse	N		
Other (see 1 below)	N		

PRIMARY WORK LOCATION		
Office Environment	X	
Warehouse		
Shop		
Vehicle		
Outdoors		
Other (see 2 below)		

(1)

(2)

### **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

None

# **NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

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2/3 or more of the time.	From 1/3 to 2/3 of the time.	Up to 1/3 of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.	

NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS	
Time Pressures	O
Emergency Situations	N
Frequent Change of Tasks	O
Irregular Work Schedule/Overtime	N
Performing Multiple Tasks Simultaneously	F
Working Closely with Others as Part of a Team	O
Tedious or Exacting Work	F
Noisy/Distracting Environment	N
Other (see 3 below)	N

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